

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Palm Beach County, Florida****Trend of Fatalities, 1999-2003**

		1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
<b>Fatality Counts</b>	<b>Total Fatalities</b>	190	174	199	198	207
	<b>Alcohol-Related</b>	71	70	75	67	67
	<b>Single Vehicle</b>	90	90	92	105	121
	<b>Non-Junction</b>	114	108	133	118	129
	<b>Intersection</b>	59	50	56	51	57
	<b>Intersection-Related</b>	11	10	7	19	18
	<b>Speeding Involved</b>	45	34	36	31	26
	<b>Pedestrians</b>	30	31	33	26	42
	<b>Pedalcyclists</b>	5	4	13	8	10
	<b>Large Truck Involved</b>	17	12	29	24	24
	<b>Roadway Departure</b>	69	64	55	100	108
	<b>Passenger Car Occupants</b>	105	78	93	86	82
	<b>Light Truck/Van Occupants</b>	37	42	39	51	47
	<b>Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	2	4	4	3	8
	<b>Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	144	124	136	140	137
	<b>Motorcycle Riders</b>	11	14	16	24	17

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)  
By Restraint Use, 2003**

<b>Fatalities</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Restrained</b>	<b>Unrestrained</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
<b>2003</b>	124	58	66	0

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)  
By Helmet Use, 2003**

<b>Fatalities</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Helmeted</b>	<b>Unhelmeted</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
<b>2003</b>	17	9	8	0

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2003

	2003			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
<b>Total Fatalities</b>	207	2	17.08	54
<b>Alcohol-Related</b>	67	5	5.53	57
<b>Single Vehicle</b>	121	2	9.98	46
<b>Non-Junction</b>	129	2	10.64	54
<b>Intersection</b>	57	2	4.70	38
<b>Intersection-Related</b>	18	4	1.48	32
<b>Speeding Involved</b>	26	5	2.14	57
<b>Pedestrians</b>	42	3	3.46	22
<b>Pedalcyclists</b>	10	3	0.82	13
<b>Large Truck Involved</b>	24	3	1.98	43
<b>Roadway Departure</b>	108	3	8.91	56
<b>Passenger Car Occupants</b>	82	2	6.76	53
<b>Light Truck/Van Occupants</b>	47	2	3.88	54
<b>Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	8	1	0.66	21
<b>Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	137	2	11.30	55
<b>Motorcycle Riders</b>	17	8	1.40	40

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.